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TAGS: EAGR, ETRD, JA

SUBJECT: U.S. CITRUS: FUNGICIDES

REF: TOKYO 5476

DEPT PASS AGRICULTURE FOR HUME AND FITZSIMMONDS AND RAINWATER,  
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1. SUMMARY. SITUATION APPEARS STABLE SO FAR AS NEW S MEDIA PUBLICITY  
CONCERNED. MHW CONTINUING TO REQUIRE TESTING OF ALL SHIPMENTS.  
PORTS VERY MUCH CONGESTED. SHIPS ARRIVNG NOW MUST WAIT ESTIMATED  
TEN DAYS TO BE UNLOADED.  
PRICES OF LEMONS AND ORANGES AT RECORD HIGH.

2. ACCORDING TO MHW, AS OF 25 PARIL, 50,852 CARTONS LEMONS,  
10,533 CARTONS GRAPEFRUITS AND 9,483 CARTONS ORANGES HAVE BEEN  
REJECTED (CONDEMNED). THIS IS 30 PERCENT, 0.8 PERCENT AND 39  
PERCENT OF LEMONS, GRAPEFRUIT, ORANGES TESTED,  
RESPECTIVELY.

3. PRICES IN WHOLESALE MARKETS AT RECORD HIGHT FOR LEMONS AND  
ORANGES; ABOUT 7 TO 8 000 YEN PER CARTON FOR LEMONS AND  
AND 10 TO 11,0000 YEN FOR ORANGES. THESE PRICES AMELIORATING LOSS  
DUE TO CONDEMNATION OF FRUIT.

3. RE SUNKIST: SK 19 WARESHOUS WAITING FOR  
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TEST RESULTS. SK 20 IN HARBOR. VAN HORN SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING

RETURNING SK 20 TO U.S. ALSO TRYING TO SELL AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE  
TO U.S.S.R.

4. R.L. REINECKE, PRES, AND DAVID MCFALL, VP TENNECO CITRUS  
INTERESTS VISITED AGATT APRIL 25 AND AGAIN APRIL 28. VERY  
DISCOURAGED.

5. ACTION REQUESTD: PLEASE FASTO PRIORITY PPQ  
REQUIREMENTS FOR GETTING CONDEMEND FRUIT BACK INTO U.S. IF IT HAS  
BEEN UNLOADED AND STORED IN PORT WAREHOUSES HERE.  
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